

RIOTING IN PORTO RICO

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IN A POLITICAL ROW.**

Several Hundred Shots Fired at Guaymas
—Police Attacked by the Mob and Re-
forcements Summoned From Other Towns
—The Rioters Are Now Under Control

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN.

SAN JUAN DE PORTO RICO, Oct. 8.—A de-
spatch to the News from Guayama says there
was a serious political riot at that place last
night and that the fighting was resumed to-
day. Several hundred shots were fired and
at last accounts four persons had been killed
and fifteen wounded.

The police, while attempting to quell the
trouble, were attacked by a mob armed with
sticks, stones, machetes and re-
volvers. The mob was reinforced to-day by
100 men from Arroyo. Fifty additional police
from other towns arrived at Guayama at noon
to-day.

There have been slight disturbances in Arroyo
and Guayama for three days owing to the
election excitement and to the interference
of the insular police in meetings in the cities.
At last accounts the rioters were practically
under control.

GOLD FIELD SQUATTERS.

Manner in Which the Rich Siberian Deposited
Have Been Fliendered.

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LONDON, Oct. 6.—A despatch from St. Petersburg to the London Times records a striking instance of the manner in which the gold deposits along the river beyond the Balka are constantly plundered by adventurers. A Justice of the Peace from Chita, in the trans-Balka district, with seven cosacks and other attendants, went to the valley of the Kerolan in the Lena basin, where private diggings were marked but not occupied. They found there a large number of cosacks and gold seekers occupying eighty-nine tents and shanties which stretched for nearly three miles along the banks of the river. They had all the tools necessary for the work and large stores of provisions which had been brought there partly on rafts and partly by reindeer, and which were valued at more than \$100,000. The majority of the people departed on the appearance of the authorities. Three hundred who remained were only induced to leave after about twenty-five had been arrested.

The Justice of the Peace left a few days later whereupon the diggers returned in greater force and defied the Cosacks to interfere with them. The Cosacks were ordered to place arms and an attempt was made to confiscate goods and provisions, but the miners made a plea that there was danger of starvation and asked to be allowed to carry off their supplies, promising to leave. Inasmuch as the miners outnumbered the Cosacks

Harlem Band of Four With Dime Novel Instantics Locked Up for Burglary.

Four small boys who live in the neighborhood of 130th street and Amsterdam avenue discovered a cave at 118th street and Mornington Drive about five weeks ago and immediately organized themselves as the "Boy Cave Dwellers of Harlem" and went to live in the cave. Last night they were arrested for burglary.

On Sunday night the boys' provisions ran out and they decided to forage about and renew the stock. They went to the air-raft next to the grocery store of Mrs. Mary Krenzlacher at 457 Amsterdam avenue and boomed one of the windows open and went in. They passed out to the other three boys all he could find in the room and they could carry in the way of ham,

But Mrs. Kerzenmacher reported the robbery to the police and last night Detective Enright of the West 125th street station descended upon the cave and most of the Boy Cave Dwellers were locked up in a cave with bars on the door in the basement of the police station. They included Henry Smith, 14 years old; Thomas Hurrey, 11 years old; John Warren, 15 years old, and three of them said. They were all locked up because the police believed they were older than they said. George Carroll, who said he was 14 years old and looked it, was sent to the Jerry society's rooms.

**Administered to a Man Mortally Injured While
a Crowd Stood With Bared Heads.**

An elderly man who held his umbrella so that he was unable to see an approaching wagon

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PATERSON MAKES CONCESSIONS.
Grants All the Citizens' Committee Asked For to Retain the Rogers Works.

PATERSON, N. J., Oct. 8.—The Board of Aldermen took formal action in the Rogers Locomotive Works matter to-night by granting the

request of the Citizens' Committee for the vacation of Pine street provided the city is indemnified against damages, and also expressing willingness to sell the Ivanhoe Mill and to allow rights to be handled through the streets at night.

WRECKAGE ASHORE AT NABANT.

Two of the Decks of a Steamer and of a Coal Barge Cast Up on the Beach.

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—A quantity of wreckage came ashore at Nahant this morning and from appearances the timbers must have been parts of two entirely different vessels. What is evidently part of a steamer's deck was cast up by the tide on Bass Point. The planks and beams are comparatively new and the surface is like a floor.

A second piece of wreckage, presumably part of a barge, was cast ashore on the beach.

ing a Beach, Swampsooth.